

Listing of Claims:

1-25. (Canceled)

26. (Currently amended) A method for treating plants with an agrochemical comprising spraying the plants with the agrochemical in combination with ~~the composition of claim 14~~ a micro-emulsion composition consisting of:

- (a) from about 5 % to about 50 % of an oil phase component,
- (b) from about 2 % to about 20 % of a hydrophilic emulsifier,
- (c) from about 2 % to about 15 % of a lipophilic co-emulsifier, and
- (d) from about 10 % to about 90 % water.

27. (Canceled)

28. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the oil phase component ~~is~~ consists essentially of a fatty acid ester.

29. (Currently amended) The method of claim 28 wherein the oil phase component ~~is~~ consists essentially of at least one member selected from the group consisting of methyl oleate and methyl laurate.

30. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the oil phase component ~~is~~ consists essentially of at least one member selected from the group consisting of mineral oils, vegetable oils, paraffinic oils and silicone oils.

31. (Canceled)

32. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the hydrophilic emulsifier ~~consists essentially of~~ is an alkyl(oligo)glycoside corresponding to the formula:



in which R is an alkyl group containing 8 to 22 carbon atoms, Z is a sugar unit containing 5 or 6 carbon atoms and x is a number from 1 to 10.

33. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the lipophilic co-emulsifier ~~is~~ ~~consists essentially of~~ at least one member selected from the group consisting of glycerol esters and sorbitan esters of fatty acids containing 6 to 22 carbon atoms.

34. (Currently amended) The method of claim 33 wherein the lipophilic co-emulsifier ~~is~~ ~~consists essentially of~~ at least one member selected from the group consisting of glycerol monooleate and sorbitan monolaurate.

35. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the ratio by weight of hydrophilic emulsifier to the combined amount of hydrophilic emulsifier and lipophilic co-emulsifier ranges from 0.60 to 0.80.

36. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the agrochemical comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of pesticides, herbicides, algicides, fungicides, bactericides, viricides, insecticides, aphicides, miticides, nematicides, molluscicides, plant growth regulators, fertilizers, nutrients, gametocides, defoliants, desiccants, pest repellants, synergists, herbicide safeners, salt additives, preservatives, and mixtures thereof.

37. (Currently amended) The method of claim 27 26 wherein the agrochemical comprises a glyphosate herbicide.

38. (Canceled)

39. (Currently amended) The composition method of claim 6 26,
wherein[[.]] the oil phase is consists essentially of methyloleate, and the co-
emulsifier is consists essentially of glycerol monooleate and optionally, clarifying
agents, wetting agents, antifreeze agents, antifoam agents, dyes, preservatives,
thickening agents and water soluble alcohols containing from 1 to about 6 carbon
atoms, inorganic salts, inorganic acids and organic acids.

40. (New) The method of claim 26, wherein the hydrophilic emulsifier is
an alkyl polyglycoside.